

2 December 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Communications and Deputy Director
of Personnel (Deputy Director (Support) Members
of Agency Committee on Manpower)

SUBJECT : Agency Manpower Study - Audit Staff

REFERENCES : a. Memo fr DD/S Members of the Agency Committee on
Manpower dtd 17 Nov '55 to all DD/S components

b. Memo fr AC/AS dtd 25 Nov '55 to above addressees

c. Memo fr DD/S Members of the Agency Committee on
Manpower undated, subject: Effect of a Manpower
Reduction and Adequacy of Current Manpower Authori-
zation in Light of Requirements.

1. The information requested in reference c. memorandum, paragraph 2,
is shown below:

	<u>a/</u>	<u>b/</u>	
	<u>Hdq</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>Total</u>
T/O Authorized 21 October 1955			
On Duty Strength:			
31 July 1955			
31 October 1955			

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a/ Deputy Director (Support) T/O and ceiling

b/ Deputy Director (Plans) T/O and ceiling but in process
of being transferred to Deputy Director (Support)

2. Reference b. memorandum explained why specific recommendations
could not be made to eliminate functions or make procedural changes to
effect a 10 percent reduction in the present on duty strength of the Audit
Staff. As indicated in that memorandum, the Audit Staff has never had the
manpower necessary to adequately meet the responsibilities placed on it by
R 5-300. A further reduction of 10 percent would only aggravate the situa-
tion. This matter was discussed at length with Mr. [REDACTED] on 1 Decem-
ber 1955 following receipt of reference c. memorandum. Based on this discus-
sion it is suggested, for purposes of your study, that the assumed 10 percent
reduction be applied arbitrarily across the board to the Audit Staff strength.
This would mean a reduction of one field and three headquarters auditors of
junior grade.

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Acting Chief, Audit Staff